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THE STATE OF EUROPE.—A remarkable article by M. Forcade, on the state of Europe, recently appeared in the *Revue des Deux Mondes*. The following is an extract:

France herself, who began to move, is now silent, looks on, and waits. She began with an Italian confederation; she has arrived at Italy united. She promised the Papacy new lustre by the Presidency of an Italian confederation; she now witnesses the destruction of the Pope's temporal power. Instructed by experience, and most modest in her hopes, we do not know if at this day she can guarantee, even for any length of time, the presence of the Sovereign Pontiff at home.

Austria forgets her pride, and is learning common sense; she answers no provocations; she seeks her regeneration in liberal reform.

Prussia ceases to be envious and quarrelsome, and holds out her hand to the court of Vienna.

Russia grows generous, and the Emperor Alexander pardons the Emperor Francis Joseph. Warsaw sees a congress of Sovereigns.

King Victor Emanuel is at the head of a State of 24,000,000 of men, and the most circumspect Federalists of last year are now the most fervent Unitarians.

England, isolated the other day, without defense, without soldiers, and whom fanatical idiots pretended a year ago to push on to the brink of decay—England, who would not make war for an idea—England, who had deplored the war in Italy—England, whom a certain press meant to exclude from deliberation in the affairs of Europe, has at this moment formidable armaments, an army of volunteers, and in Europe a position at once the freest from all engagements, and is the most courted. She warns the Italians that she will not fight for them; and yet, the greatest Italian patriots look upon her as the surest and most solid support of their work. She avows to the Northern powers the sympathies which the Italian revolution inspires her with, and yet the Northern Powers, full of deference for her advice, combat in theory only the principle of non-intervention. She did not treat us over well in the affair of the Savoy and Nice annexations. She gave us a pretext for her armaments the fear which we caused her, and yet France has, in a celebrated letter, replied with the most friendly words and protestations. The remark of Cromwell is, then, true for us—“One never goes so far as when one does not know where one goes.”

LECTURES ON GARIBALDI.—One Mason Jones was attracting considerable attention in London by his lectures on Garibaldi, whom he has recently visited at Caprera. Jones is a Mazzinist, and very severe on Cavour. According to his testimony, we are to believe “that from Palermo to Turin the name of Cavour is received with a yell of execration—that in Milan the Prime Minister is especially detested, that the whole secret of his power in the parliament is the use of corruption—that he is regarded even by persons holding a portfolio under him, at Naples, as the pest of Europe, as a man full of fraud and lies, a coward in diplomacy, an infidel in religion, or as one believing in Louis Napoleon for God—that Garibaldi loathes him so much as to have named one of his Caprera donkeys after him—that he is a babbling and insane.” Jones accuses King Victor Emanuel of behaving “with unparalleled insolence and effrontery towards Garibaldi, the greatest genius of the age.” He also says that “there are five men whom Garibaldi hates with almost a demonic hatred; and they are Farini, Fanti, La Farina, Montezemolo, and Cordova. He regards them all as thieves, rogues and liars.” Jones also maintains that a treaty was signed three months ago, by which France is to have the Island of Sardinia, and the port of Leghorn or Genoa, in case of aiding Sardinia in the expected war for Venetia. Mazzini has proof of this alleged fact, and has commissioned Jones to proclaim it to the world.

ANOTHER ROYAL MARRIAGE IN PROSPECT.—It is now definitely announced that the Queen's next daughter, the Princess Alice, is to be married to the Prince Louis of Hesse Darmstadt. Fine prospect this for John Bull, who will, as a matter of course, have to provide not only for the bride, but also for the bridegroom—at least if he don't, it will be something new in the history of such marriages. Well, what must be, must be. Would that “Wales,” on his next visit to the States were to find favor in the eyes of one of America's fair daughters, blessed with an abundance of charms, and rich enough in the great staples of California to remove all objections on the score of outfit. It would be something to break through royal routine in this way, and the two countries would certainly be none the worse friends if drawn together by such a match. *Cor. S. F. Bulletin.*

Consultations at Paris.

Paris correspondence, dated the 19th December of the London *Daily News* says:

Yesterday evening Lord Cowley and M. de Metternich met at M. Thouvenel's, and those three personages afterwards went to see the Emperor at the Tuilleries. It is more than ever believed that negotiations pressing Austria to give up Venetia, receiving a pecuniary indemnity, are actively going on. There is no doubt, whatever, that M. Periere, the great financier, is the author of the pamphlet on the subject which has made so much noise. It is also true that the Emperor revised the proof-sheets, or, at least, read them before they were printed. The truth is, I believe, the Emperor, having heard that M. Periere was about to publish the pamphlet, desired to see it. M. Periere waited on his Majesty, and offered to read the sheets to him, but the Emperor said he should understand the matter better if he read it himself, and begged that the proofs might be left with him. I am assured on authority which I cannot doubt, that in one passage the Emperor made a correction with his own hand. This passage is the following one, which speaks of the cession of Venetia as the object to be desired, and a Congress the means of arriving at it:

To revive the great idea of a holy alliance, says the writer, and the reconstitution of it for the sake of populations and kings on bases in conformity with the wants of the epoch, and to cause the present frontiers of France and of all the states of Europe to become in the eyes of all and forever sacred—such is the universal wish of nations and of Governments; such the grand enterprise of the century.

M. Periere had written *les frontieres de France*, but the Emperor, wishing more emphatically to declare his renunciation of all projects of further annexations and extensions, interlined the word “*actuelles*.” This anecdote is much commented upon in political circles, and is considered as strong additional evidence of the fact for which there has long been much converging testimony—that the Emperor, whatever his former views he may have entertained formerly, does now really destroy peace and good fellowship with all his neighbors. Of course, he wants a Congress to confirm his appropriation of Savoy and Nice.

A MURDER DETECTED IN A SINGULAR MANNER.—At Winalton, England, a policeman on his beat, at a late hour of the night, encountered a man carrying a burden, which he suspected contained some things not honestly come by. The policeman challenged the individual, demanded to know what he had got, and for answer received the contents of a gun in his body, falling mortally wounded. He lived long enough to describe his murderer, and suspicion fell on a man named Richardson. The person indicated was at once apprehended, and his cottage was searched. A gun was found in his possession and which he owned was his. On his trial he all but proving an *alibi*, and his counsel contended that under the circumstances the man might well be mistaken in regard to the person of his assailant. But on examination of the gun a curious piece of evidence came out. It was discovered that one of the barrels was still loaded. On drawing the charge, it was found to be rammed down with a piece of the *Times*, dated March 28, 1854. The discharged wadding had been picked up, and was proved by the printer of the paper to be a piece of the same impression. The man has since confessed that he fired the fatal shot.

COURT MARTIALED FOR REFUSING TO PARADE IN HONOR OF THE PRINCE OF WALES.—Colonel Corcoran, of the Irish Regiment of militia, (59th), is on trial in New York city, before a court martial, for disobedience of orders from Gen. Sanford, in refusing to parade on the occasion of the reception of the Prince of Wales in that city. He will probably be dismissed from his command. The points offered by the accused, in bar of the charge, viz.: That by law they were only compelled to make two general parades a year, which they had already made; and that the person designated in the order promulgated as “the Prince of Wales,” did not assume or bear that title, or the honors, if any, thereunto appertaining, and therefore was not entitled to any rank, civil or military, which could be legally recognized in the United States.

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AND WHOLESALE,) 6-4, 6-4 and 4-4 Checked, White
and Figured MATTING.
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The Victoria Gas Co. (Limited.)

AT AN ADJUDGED GENERAL MEETING OF
this Company, held at the Office of Messrs. J. T.
Little & Co., Wharf street, on the seventeenth inst.,
it was moved and carried that a public notice should
be given to all persons who had signed the original
list of Shareholders, and who had neglected to sign
the Registered Bill, as by law required, allowing
thirty days from that date to sign their names to the
Registered Bill, otherwise their right to allotment of
shares to be forfeited.

JAS. N. THAIN,
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ROBT. BURNABY,
EMAN. GRACIANI,
M. L. CAVERT,
JNO. T. LITTLE,
Directors.
Victoria, V. I., 19th January, 1861. Ja2 1m

CAUTION.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED
against purchasing the building lately occupied
for a Grocery Store by Thos. Fielan, and
against purchasing the lease, inasmuch as the sub-
scriber holds a bill of sale of the house and the lease.
The above building and lease is offered for sale low.
Apply to
JAMES THORNE.
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failing to do so will be prosecuted with the utmost
rigor of the law.
ALEX. C. ANDERSON, Lloyd's Agent.
Ja1 1m

REMOVAL.

G. VIGNOLO HAS REMOVED HIS
place of business from Johnson street, to the
Fireproof Brick Building, corner of Yates and
Wharf streets.
G. VIGNOLO,
Corner Wharf and Yates streets.
Ja2 1m

Information Wanted.

ANDREW PARDEE LEFT HUMBOLDT
Bay, California, in 1858, for Fraser River, and
has not been heard from since; is of light complexion,
and 26 years old. Any one knowing of his whereabouts
would confer a great favor by writing to his
father, A. L. PARDEE, Union Town, Humboldt Bay,
Cal.; or DR. PARDEE, San Francisco. Ja1 1m

LOST.

A PLAIN SILVER RING, WITH A
Branagh key fitted inside a blue stone. Five
dollars reward will be paid on leaving it.
J. J. SOUTHGATE,
Wharf street
Ja1 1m

CAUTION!

I HEREBY CAUTION THE PUBLIC
against negotiating two Notes granted by me, of
date 8th June last—one for \$300, at 4 months, and
another for \$350, at 7 months date, in favor of
JOS. H. MORRIS, as I have not received value for
the same.
GEORGE A. DEEKS,
mark.
Ja1 1m

WITNESS: JOHN COPLAND.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE LEFT
A Watches or Jewelry in my Establishment for
repair, are publicly notified that I will close out my
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consequently they are requested to call and get what
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Tuesday Morning, Feb. 12, 1861.

Industrial Exhibition.

A meeting will be held at the Court House to-day, at two o'clock, to concert measures to represent these colonies in the Industrial Exhibition of 1862, in London. It is to be hoped that it will be well attended, and that public apathy will give place to cordial co-operation on all hands, in order to extend proper encouragement to the movers in the matter. No question could be raised that is more likely to confer greater benefits on the country than the one under consideration, provided it is followed out to its legitimate results. In fact, we hail the industrial movement as the first faint indication of a practical step for the advancement of the country. We look upon it as a measure that may in wise hands result in the discovery and classification of the industrial resources of these colonies; and as the earnest of an attempt to show our own people, as well as those abroad, the favorable advantages we possess for a profitable investment of capital, and our capacity to sustain a large and thrifty population.

Hitherto we have acted a most unwise and unenterprising part. We have been a small shopkeeper in a back street. We have been living off of a few customers. Our stock on the shelves has been, reputedly large; but owing to our want of business capacity, we have eked out a petty shopkeeper's existence on the profits of the sales of a few wares that have met a ready sale. We should long ago have moved to a front street; occupied an inviting establishment on the most popular thoroughfare; arranged our manufactured goods, or our raw materials, in the most attractive manner, and been fully up to the age in business tact to supply the local and the foreign trade. But we are just now awaking after a Rip Van Winkle sleep. We rub our eyes and look around the world, and see everybody at work. We find we live in an industrial age; that the possessors of industrial resources—nations though they may be—are inviting all the world to invest. Mutual profits are guaranteed; and mutual enterprise on the part of rulers and people are crowned with success everywhere. The reason why we have led such a moping, sleepy, apathetic, unenterprising life, can only be attributed to the want of business capacity among our rulers. We have prospered amazingly in the past three years, but who will or dare attribute that prosperity to government influences? No one. The individual enterprise of our citizens, unaided and alone, are the authors of our successes. They have surmounted the natural obstacles of the country, and broke down in many instances the barricades to industry and commerce erected by governmental shortsightedness and stupidity. At last, however, there is a general awakening. Indications are favorable in the present industrial movement that the government itself may have its eyelids propped up long enough to let into its drowsy skull sufficient light from the eager, busy, and enterprising world without, to prove that it has been a sluggard, if not a drone in the hive, too long. The indications are that the government will, for once, and to-day, co-operate with the people; that it will proffer its aid in taking an inventory of our stock of raw material; that it will assist in inaugurating a scheme to let the world know that we have the capacity to sustain population, and the resources for the safe and profitable investment of millions of capital. If happily it does, we shall record it as the one good move amid a host of bad ones spread over the past three years.

The meeting of to-day is specially directed to the exhibition of our industrial resources in the World's Fair in 1862. It is very apparent that no more favorable opportunity could be offered to give a bird's-eye view of the agriculture, minerals, lumber, and fisheries of this country to the British public. Still, when we consider that the articles which we may send to the exhibition will be distributed under the various classes in the different departments, the bird's-eye view which we propose to give will be likely to be particular and not general. Could samples of every article be arranged in one spot in the exhibition, it would confer greater benefits upon us. From what we know, however, of the scientific classification at the Crystal Palace that would be impossible. The farmer, the miner, the lumber dealer, or the furrier, and so with everybody, may repair to the respective departments of the commodities that are most interesting to their business or purpose. Thus, the knowledge of our resources are more likely to be particular than general. Such advantages as we may thus derive may be very considerable, and we trust ample to leave a profit for our out-

lay. We are inclined, however, to the opinion that the industrial movement of to-day, aside from the Industrial Exhibition, will, if followed to its legitimate branches, confer a lasting benefit on the country.

Hitherto no classification of our resources have been published. We are reputedly rich in agricultural and mineral wealth; in timber and in fisheries. Yet, no specific examination of the country has been made. No topographical—no scientific survey has been entered upon. It is much wanted. The industrial movement may, therefore, be the means of causing the exploration of the country, and the report be a guide to the immigrant and the capitalist. From such an undertaking well done, we may expect far greater results than from a mere exhibition of our raw materials. Another movement may grow out of the present; may ripen, and confer incalculable blessings on agriculture—we mean an Agricultural Association. Agriculture is suffering for an impetus. It waits but for intelligent and scientific assistance, for the dissemination of more expansive ideas; and for improved implements of husbandry. It is, therefore, not merely the profits that may flow into our lap after the industrial exhibition is over in 1862 to which we should look; but the local knowledge that may be acquired in furthering that object may be a local impetus in the development of our industrial resources, besides showing an attractive picture to the intending immigrant and capitalist.

NOVEL VIEWS OF THE UNITED STATES.—The London Critic, in an article reviewing a recently published life of the present Emperor of Russia, makes the following novel and somewhat extensive predictions about the future of the United States. The writer evidently does not think that the contest between the United States and the nation of South Carolina will be "a great war."

Russia is a menace to Turkey, to Austria, to the Germanic States. Persia is her slave; she projects railroads through both Siberia and Persia. All the outlying possessions of the Chinese, Russia has already seized, or is about to seize. Ere long her wolfish clutch will be on China itself. Japan she would on the instant grasp, if she dared; but her most covetous and pertinacious glance is thrown towards British India. Now, Russia does not need or care for decent pretenses when she wishes to steal. Turkey she has generally robbed at the end of a war. But the whole vast and very valuable region of the Amoor River she coolly appropriated when at profound peace with China—a region capable, it has been computed, of supporting a population of fifty millions. Unfortunately for Russia, if she has no rivals in the Old World, she has in the New. The United States of America have the same insatiable and unscrupulous longings as Russia, are quite as pertinacious, and are much more elastic, prompt, energetic and enterprising. Now there is no aspiration dearer to the American heart than conquest on the north-eastern coast of Asia. The Americans were first to force the Japanese to make substantial concessions. But an American orator of eminence plainly indicates that these concessions are but the preludes to far mightier victories. Japan seems doomed to fall into the hands of the Americans. But it is absurd to suppose that they will be contented with the Japanese Islands when they are so near the continent. They will make their own, with little ceremony, those coast tracts which the Russians have wrenched, or are about to wrench, from the Chinese. The first great war in which the Americans engage will be with the Russians.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT.—An English jailor has devised a plan whereby convicts sent to the tread mill exercise their minds at the same time that they are moving their pedal extremities. The improvement is this: The prisoners, at every step they take, call up to view a letter or word, and are thus taught the alphabet or reading while they are at work. "By degrees," says a writer on the subject, "they become able to read a chapter in the Bible."

THE PEOPLE'S PAPER.—The People's paper at New Westminster, to be called the British Columbian, will be issued for the first time to-morrow. It will take the place of the New Westminster Times, having been established on the ruins of that late government organ.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Opposition Steamboat!

The new and first-class steamer
FLYING DUTCHMAN,
CAPT. WM. MOORE,

Is now making quick trips from New Westminster to
Fort Hope, Fort Yale, and Port Douglas,
(calling at intermediate stations)

CARRYING FREIGHT AND PASSENGERS,
AT THE LOWEST RATES,
on the arrival of each Victoria Steamer.

WM. MOORE.
New Westminster, Feb. 7th, 1861. fell 1m.

Twelve Thousand Dollars
TO BE LENT ON MORTGAGE, IN VARIOUS SUMS.
Apply to
A. B. "Colonist" Office.

British-American House.
THIS HOUSE IS NOW OFFERED TO rent or lease, with a cooking-range and fixtures, capable of supplying 200 persons with meals, go with the house. The present occupants have received notice to vacate the premises on the first of March, and any person wishing to secure the same can do so upon early application to
DANIEL F. ADAMS,
fe2 1w Douglas St., bet. Yates & View streets.

FOR SALE.
1000 GALLONS CAMPHENE, IN lots to suit.
J. J. SOUTHWICK & Co.,
Ja22 1m Wharf street

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

RAFFLE.

ON WEDNESDAY, THE 20TH INST., at the Phoenix Saloon, a boat of 24 feet keel, 7 feet beam and 3 feet hold, will be put up at Raffle 200 chances at \$2 a chance. List open at the Phoenix. fell 3c

Notice.

ALL PARTIES ARE NOTIFIED THAT the wreck of the Bark Nanette, with all remaining on board, will this day be sold by Public Auction to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock noon. All parties are hereby forbidden to remove any goods from the wreck after that hour, as the said wreck, with all remaining on board, will be no longer the property of the Underwriters.

ALEX. C. ANDERSON,
Agent for Lloyd's,
Victoria, V. I., Tuesday 12th Feb., 1861. fell 1c

MONDAY MORNING

WILL BE OPENED

New Jewelry Store,

FOR TEN DAYS ONLY

WILLIAM BINNBAUM HAS JUST arrived with a large Stock of

Gold and Silver
WATCHES,

JEWELRY,

SILVER WARE,

DIAMOND WORK, ETC.,

Which will be on Exhibition at Messrs. ZELNER & CO.'S Drug Store, corner of Yates and Government streets, FOR TEN DAYS ONLY, during which time parties can call, examine and purchase the same at private sale. If not all disposed of in that time,

THE WHOLE BALANCE

WILL BE

SOLD AT AUCTION

By J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer.

The Goods are all of the best description, and fully guaranteed.

By permission, Mr. Binnbaum refers to
Messrs. EDGAR & AIME,
" M. MYER,
" S. GOLDSTONE & CO.,
" SUTRO & CO.

W. CULVERWELL,

General Agency for the Collection of
Rents and Debts,

INTELLIGENCE OFFICE,

Money Loaned on Good Security,
NOTES DISCOUNTED.

Bookkeeping, Documents Copied, Etc.
In cases requiring a power of Attorney, security will be furnished. Office, upstairs, cor. Yates and Langley streets, Victoria. fe2 1m

Victoria Gas Company (Limited)
AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at their Office on TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at 3 P. M., for the purpose of taking into consideration the Report of the Auditing Committee, relative to Messrs. J. T. Little & Co.'s accounts for preliminary expenses.
By order of the Chairman, A. F. MAIN, Sec'y.

Victoria, V. I., Company's Office,
corner Yates and Langley sts.,
4th February, 1861. fe2 1d

J. W. TRIPP & CO.,

Dealers in Oregon Produce,
Cor. of Johnson and Government streets,

Fruit Trees & Shrubbery,

Of all kinds, selected expressly for this market from the best Nurseries in Oregon. fe2 1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY CAUTION THE PUBLIC against negotiating for a Certificate of Deposit of mine on McDonald & Co. for the sum of four hundred and sixty dollars as payment of the same is stopped. fe2 3c

JOHN DAVIS.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between ALFRED FELLOWS and ARTHUR FELLOWS, of No. 20 Yates street, Victoria, Iron Merchants and General Hardware Dealers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will in future be carried on by ALFRED FELLOWS, to whom all claims against the late firm should be sent in before Saturday, the 16th inst. It is also requested that all accounts due the late firm may be settled as early as possible.

ALFRED FELLOWS,
ARTHUR FELLOWS.

20 Yates street, Victoria, V. I.,
25th February, 1861. fe2 1m

NOTICE,

To Landowners in North and South Saanich Districts.

A MEETING HAS BEEN ARRANGED to take place at Wilson's Hall, Victoria, on SATURDAY NEXT, the 16th inst., at 12 o'clock precisely.

All persons who own land in the Districts of Sooke, Lake, Esquimalt, etc., are also invited to attend, to take into consideration business of importance.

WM. ROTHWELL,
Sec'y pro tem.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL LEAVE for England in about two weeks, returning in the Fall, and will be happy to undertake commissions for purchasing goods or otherwise.

February 7th, 1861. fe2 2w

Lumber, Lime, Building Stone

BRICK, & C.

20 M FT. ASSORTED RED WOOD LUMBER,
20 M R. T. and G. Flooring,
10 M R. Cedar,
200 bbls V. I. Lime,
100 tons Salt Spring Building Stone,
100 M Brick,
For Sale by
JOHN T. LITTLE & CO.,
City Wharf, foot Yates st.

NOTARY PUBLIC.
MR. DRAKE, 63 GOVERNMENT Street, has received the appointment of Notary Public for these Colonies. fe2 2m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS,

From the Shakers' Gardens, New York.
THESE SEEDS CAN BE RELIED upon as FRESH and true to their kind.
For sale by
CURTIS & MOORE.

FLOWER SEEDS.

A Choice Collection and Great Variety.
For sale by
CURTIS & MOORE.

GRASS SEEDS.

A large lot of Timothy and Clover Seeds for sale low by
CURTIS & MOORE,
Ja22 1m Druggist, Yates street.

JAMES E. WOLFE,

Architect, Contractor and Builder,

WILL PREPARE

Plans, Designs and Specifications

FOR BRICK, FRAME AND FIREPROOF

BUILDINGS

Wharves, Bridges,

And Structures of every description, and Superintend their execution—guaranteeing entire satisfaction in all cases.

Is also prepared to CONTRACT for the Erection of Buildings and Works of all kinds, upon terms as moderate as can be afforded by any one who will do justice to their patrons.

P. S.—But he will not, in any case, allow himself to bid in competition with his fellow-artizans and mechanics, on work for which he may make the Plans and Specifications, as doing so would be unfair to others.

JAMES E. WOLFE,
fe2 1m Yates street, between Government and Broad.

Wm. Culverwell's

GENERAL AGENCY

For the Collection of Rents and Debts,
AND FOR THE

Leasing of Houses and Lands,

Having been removed to the new Fireproof Building, the corner of
YATES AND LANGLEY STREETS.
He is prepared to transact all business which may be intrusted to his care, in a correct manner.

Attached to the Agency is an

INTELLIGENCE OFFICE,

In which persons wishing to engage help or seeking situations may record their names.

Money Loaned on Good Security.

NOTES DISCOUNTED.

Bookkeeper, Accountant, Documents Copied
etc., etc., etc.

In cases requiring a power of Attorney security will be furnished. ja2 1f

Bank

OF

British North America.

ESTABLISHED IN 1836.

Incorporated by Royal Charter in 1840

CAPITAL—\$5,000,000.

VICTORIA BRANCH.

SPECIAL DEPOSITS received in sums of \$100 and upwards, repayable on demand. Charge for safe keeping, ONE-QUARTER OF ONE PER CENT. PER MONTH.

GOLD DUST received for safe keeping at the rate of FIVE CENTS PER OUNCE PER MONTH.

Drafts Issued on London,

60 days after sight, at the rate of \$1 95 per £1 stg.

3 days after sight, (IN SUMS OF £50 AND UPWARDS)..... \$5 per £1 stg.

3 days after sight, (IN SUMS UNDER £50)..... \$5 10 per £1 stg.

DRAFTS on demand or at short sight, issued on the principal Cities and Towns in Scotland and Ireland, at the rate of \$5 15 per £1 stg.

DRAFTS on the Principal Cities in the North American Provinces, at 3 days sight, as follows:

Canada,..... 4 per cent. premium.

New Brunswick,..... 4 per cent. do

Nova Scotia,..... 2 1/2 per cent. do

Drafts on New York, at 3 days sight, 3 per cent. prem.

" Messrs. B. Davidson & May, San Francisco, at sight—1/2 per cent.

OFFICE HOURS, 10 TO 3.—SATURDAYS 10 TO 1.
F. W. WOOD,
Manager. ja2 1f

Victoria Coal Company.

COAL AND WOOD.

THE PRICE OF COAL IN QUANTITIES of One Ton and upwards, including drayage and portage, will from this date be ELEVEN DOLLARS PER TON.

JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agents,
City Wharf, foot of Yates street. ja2 1m 2p

For Sale, ex Recent Arrivals:

FURNITURE.—A large assortment of superior English Furniture, consisting of Chairs, Marble and Mahogany Dressing Tables and Washstands, Book Cases, Side Boards, Looking Glasses, etc.

STATIONERY.—A good assortment of Stationery—Letter, Note and Foolscap Papers, Copying Papers, Books and Presses, Blank Books, Envelopes, etc., etc.

And for sale by
JANION & GREEN.

fe2 1m

WINE AND SPIRITS.—The undersigned are receiving by nearly every vessel from England, shipments of first class Wines and Spirits, in bulk and cases, which they offer on reasonable terms.

JANION & GREEN.

fe2 1m

WINE AND SPIRITS.—The undersigned, Agents for TAYLOR, WALKER & CO.'S CELEBRATED PORTER bottled at the Victoria Store, have just received a shipment, in fine order, of their celebrated brand of Porter; also,
Burton Brewery Ale, in hhds.

JANION & GREEN.

fe2 1m

YORKSHIRE HAM AND BACON.—In fine order, just received and for sale by
JANION & GREEN.

fe2 1m

Valentines!

St. Valentine's Day is near at hand.

14TH FEBRUARY.

HIBBEN & CARSWELL HAVE anticipated him, by recording a variety of those interesting epistles. Some religiously comic, and some particularly THWEE!, for those enamored up to the eyes.

A messenger will be found, if any delicacy in their delivery is felt.

Also, NEW PIANO MUSIC, Received at

fe2 1w

STATIONERS' HALL.

AUCTION SALES.

WRECK

OF THE

BARK NANETTE

BY AUCTION.

P. M. BACKUS, Auctioneer,

WILL SELL

THIS DAY,

TUESDAY, February 12th, 1861,

At 12 o'clock, at,

AT HIS SALESROOM, ON YATES STREET:

The Wreck of the bark Nanette

And all that she may have on board of her at that time, as she lies at Race Rocks.

TERMS, CASH. fe2

STOP AND READ THIS!

Grand Gift Entertainment

Under the immediate direction of Mr. Sheldon.

MR. SHELDON WOULD RESPECTFULLY announce to the inhabitants of Victoria, that he will give one of his Gift Entertainments, so long and favorably patronized in California.

AT MOORE'S MUSICAL HALL,

Yates street, on SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 10th 1861, on which occasion, in addition to a Grand Lyric and Dramatic performance,

TWENTY VALUABLE PRIZES

will be given to the audience. N.B. Each purchaser of a dollar ticket will be entitled to an admission to the Theatre; also, a chance in the prizes, which will be fairly and equitably adjudged by a committee of gentlemen chosen by the audience they and there present, from among themselves. For particulars and list of prizes see small bills. fe2 1d

Opening Ball

OF THE

Excelsior Gymnastic Club,

WILL BE GIVEN AT THEIR NEW

Hall, Broughton street, on

Wednesday Evening, Feb. 20, 1861.

Committee of Arrangements:

S. L. KELLY, J. L. GOLDSTONE,
F. T. GERRY, J. L. SMITH,
J. F. HAWKS,

Invitation Committee:

J. A. McCREA, C. W. WALLACE, JR.
E. H. JACKSON, J. L. SMITH,
G. C. WEBSTER.

Reception Committee:

L. LOWENBERG, J. F. HAWKS,
J. P. COUCH, F. T. GERRY,
D. A. EDGAR.

Floor Managers:

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Tuesday Morning, Feb. 12, 1861.

CONTEMPT OF COURT.—Yesterday morning, in the Court of Assizes, Attorney General Cary called the attention of the Chief Justice to an alleged contempt of Court committed by Chas. B. Young, on Tuesday last. Mr. Cary said: "While attending the race on Tuesday last, at Beacon Hill, I was accosted by Mr. Chas. B. Young, who said, 'who told you I was a pawnbroker in San Francisco?' I replied, 'oh, I can't give you my authority.' 'Well, then,' he replied, 'I shall take the earliest opportunity of insulting you publicly; if I'm a pawnbroker, you're a pimp!'" Mr. Cary concluded by saying that as it was clearly an attempt to intimidate an officer of the Court, it must be regarded in the light of a contempt. His lordship said that a summons would be issued for Mr. Young. This affair grows out of the trial of Jacob Fried for perjury. Young appeared as the principal witness for the prosecution, and Mr. Cary asked him if he had not been a pawnbroker in San Francisco, and also, if he was not a Jew by profession?

ANXIOUS TO BE TRIED.—Elias De Young of Fort Yale, appeared before the Chief Justice yesterday morning, and, through the Attorney General, announced his readiness to stand a trial on a charge of perjury. De Young, it will be remembered, was stated by Judge Cameron, in rendering a decision in the case of Phillips vs Green, as having been guilty of perjury in giving evidence for the defendant. His lordship said that De Young should be tried at the next term of the Court of Assizes. Mr. De Young seems anxious to be tried, and declares his entire innocence of the accusation.

ARRIVAL OF THE "OTTER".—The steamer Otter arrived from Fraser River on Saturday last. Fraser River is open, and the steamers were ascending. The Flying Dutchman has proved an entire success, having "made the rifle" at Union Bar, and succeeded in reaching Yale easily. The general news is unimportant. The ground is frozen, and, beyond tunnel operations, no mining is going on.

A WITTY JURYMAN.—One of the jurors, empaneled to dance attendance on the Court of Assizes, yesterday morning, observing a number of crows hovering over the Court House, asked a fellow-jurymen what they wanted in the neighborhood at such a time? "I don't know, indeed," replied the other, "unless they have some 'caws' (cause) to be tried."

THE JEWISH TRAVELER.—J. J. Benjamin, the distinguished Jewish traveler, will leave this morning by the steamer Santa Cruz for Portland, where he will remain for a few days, and then proceed to San Francisco. From there he will go to Africa and other countries. After collecting valuable information he will publish a second edition of his travels.

THE BENEFIT OF MR. POTTER.—The performance for the benefit of this gentleman was well attended last evening. The "Merchant of Venice; or, the Pound of Flesh," was very appropriately rendered, and we hope the beneficiary received sufficient to place him out of reach of the clutches of the law.

POLICE COURT.—Three lovers of tangle-leg, having coiled themselves up on the sidewalks, were arrested by the police and accommodated with lodgings at the barracks. They were each fined five shillings or six hours imprisonment. An Indian, charged with stealing a pair of boots, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment.

HOSPITAL PATIENTS.—There are twelve male patients in the hospital at present. They are suffering from the following diseases: 3 paralysis; 3 ulcerated wounds; 2 frost-bitten; 1 debility; 1 rheumatism; 1 dropsy. Three of the above are from British Columbia, the remainder from Vancouver Island.

NANAIMO.—The coal mines of this town will cause it to become a place of considerable importance eventually. Five vessels have recently cleared at San Francisco bound to Nanaimo, and three passed up the Straits on Sunday.

GIFT ENTERTAINMENT.—Mr. Sheldon is arranging a grand gift entertainment, to be given at Moore's Musical Hall, on Saturday evening next. Twenty prizes—among which are two valuable gold watches—are offered. The tickets are one dollar each.

CONVICTED.—In the Court of Assizes, yesterday, James Clifford, indicted for stealing a quantity of carpenters' tools from the H. B. Co.'s wharf, was convicted of larceny. A jury in the same case, week before last, failed to agree.

GOING AWAY.—The Stark troupe will leave this morning for Oregon. They have long delighted our citizens with their chaste and beautiful representations, and the best wishes of all go with them.

NEWS.—We look for two days later news by the Eliza Anderson, due to-day with the overland mail.

The steamer Santa Cruz will leave for Portland this morning, at 5 o'clock.

The Court of Assizes will meet again this day at 10 o'clock.

Matters at Cayoosh. "Observer," located at Cayoosh, sends us some very interesting items, under date of Jan. 20th:

SUSPECTED MURDER. An Indian is in jail here charged with the murder of a man known as Jim Wade, last spring. Mr. Wade started from Fort Alexander in May last, with the intention of taking across the country to his claim on Quesnelle River. The Indian in custody was packing "grub" for him. After an absence of three days the Indian returned, whereas, had he made the trip, he could not have got back in less than six days. Wade never reached his claim, and has not been seen since. The Indians at Fort Alexander accuse the one in custody with having murdered the missing man and buried his body among some bushes. I am informed that Wade deposited a quantity of gold dust with a merchant at Fort Alexander.

THE TRAILS. A description of the different trails from here to Quesnelle may not be uninteresting at this time. The main trail after leaving here runs along the bank of the river for about 19 miles to Pavilion Flat, where it leaves the river and ascends Pavilion Creek a short distance; it then turns up a hill to the left of a loghouse, and comes out on the old river trail. It should be borne in mind, however, that the same trail, by keeping to the right hand, will lead to the Bonaparte trail, and is called the "cut off" on account of its being shorter; but on account of a very high mountain that has to be ascended and descended, is not often taken, the more level or main trail being preferred. The river trail, after running around a point known as the "Big Slide" continues along the banks of the Fraser, crossing Big Bar, Canoe, Alkali, Little and Big Dog Creeks. In crossing each of these creeks, mountains have to be ascended and descended. The trail runs over some beautiful valleys and flats, and on the whole the country presents a very fine appearance. The trail at last descends Long Hill, so called from its height, and runs along close to the river for about eight miles, when it takes up a large creek, and keeping to the left hand for about five miles the traveler enters the valley at the foot of Williams' Lake, and crossing the creek, soon joins the Brigade trail. This trail is shorter than the main, but is more hilly, and consequently only traveled by those supplying the miners along the river with provisions.

MISCELLANEOUS. A Frenchman was recently fined \$200 for selling liquor to Indians. Quite a number of men are wintering hereabouts, ready for an early start in the spring for Cariboo. A large two story building has just been completed here. The bridge across the Fraser at a point above this place, is still progressing, and will, it is thought, be ready for travel early in the spring.

DIED. On Sunday evening the 10th inst. ELIZABETH PEAKES, aged 55 years, relict of the late Edward Henry Peakes Esq., of Port Hope, Canada West. The funeral will take place from her late residence, Fort Street, this day (Tuesday) at 2 o'clock P. M.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED. Feb. 11—Bark Francis Palmer, Perriman, San Francisco. Ship Rebecca, Pennecker, San Francisco. Mecklenberg Bark Hermutun Watson derLiper Idormen, May, San Francisco. Sloop Siwash Mary, Beale, San Francisco. Bark Cleopatra, Schmidt, San Francisco. Bark N. S. Perkins, Bunker, San Francisco. Schr. Lallah Rooke, McCormick, Port Townsend. Str. Santa Cruz, Staples, Nanaimo. Str. Otter, Mount, New Westminster.

CLEARED. Feb. 11—Bark D. Lidenham, May, San Francisco. Sloop Siwash Mary, Beale, Nanaimo. Bark Cleopatra, Schmidt, Nanaimo. Bark Francis Palmer, Perriman, Nanaimo. Str. Santa Cruz, Staples, Astoria. Sch. Meg Merriles, Phamphlet, Sumar.

IMPORTS. Per bark N. S. PERKINS, from San Francisco—A. & A. Fellows, 40 bbls iron; J. Fried, 2 bales 1 pkgs dry goods; Patrick & Co., 3 cigs; 1 hgd brandy, 1 pipe Geneva; G. Vignolo 3 1/2 pkgs; 10 cks claret, 15 bks champagne, 5 cks peas, 25 pkgs coffee; A. Ledner, 15 cks champagne; J. J. Southgate, 20 bbls oakum, 1 bx boathooks, 5 bbls duck, 7 bbls oil and varnish, 10 coils rope; R. Cohen, 4 cks dry goods; W. H. Oliver, 3 1/2 cks port, 1 bbl wine, 17 cks wine and syrups, 10 cks wine, 10 bbls brandy, 20 cks alcohol; 5 trunks, 1 cks mdz.; A. Casamayor, 85 bks sugar, 25 bks candles; Ryckerman & Marks, 25 cks claret, 20 cks bit-tare; Webster & Co., 31 pkgs boots and shoes; Pierce & Seymour, 5 bbls port, 27 pkgs furniture; Prag & Co., 20 bbls hardware; J. A. McGee, 55 pkgs provisions; A. Sikerer, 1 cks wine; J. G. Jackson, 1 pkg windows, 5 doors; G. Marvin, 2 packages duck. Curtis & Moore, 5 bbls pitch, 5 bbls alcohol, 30 cks champagne, 5 cks oil, 10 bks wine; P. McQuade & Co., 40 kgs lard, 50 kgs glass, 5 pkgs oil and varnish, 35 kgs hardware, 65 pkgs groceries and provisions; Braverman and Levin, 13 pkgs segars and tobacco, 23 pkgs dried fruit; Curtis & Co., 2 dms codfish, 9 bxs tobacco, 27 pkgs groceries; H. Bilanco, 24 pkgs turpentine, 31 pkgs tobacco and groceries; H. B. Co., 100 nitrate, 40 cks pipe, 5 pkgs groceries; Cairn and Graciel, 267 bbs iron and steel, 7 pkgs glassware, 4 pkgs hardware; Reinhardt Bros, 6 cks cigars; G. F. Bunker, 78 bbls hay; To order, 5 cks wine, 15 pkgs camphene, drugs, etc, 3 iron safes, 40 kgs hay, 9 cks shoe, etc, 10 cks iron, etc, 124 cks skidder, 27 pkgs grog, etc, etc hardware, 23 pkgs furniture, 23 pcs hardware. Value, \$21,683.78.

I. N. JEFFRIES, SIGN PAINTER, YATES STREET, Importer and Dealer in PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS, Varnish, Turpentine, Glue, White Lead, Brushes, Gold Moulding, etc. Ja7 Wall Paper and Borders.

Hall's Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock and Iodide of Potash is prepared from the finest red Jamaican Sarsaparilla and English Iodide of Potash, and is a reliable and powerful medicine for the cure of blood, it cleanses the system of all morbid and impure matter—removes pimples, boils and eruptions from the skin—cures rheumatism and pains of all kinds. All who can afford should use it, as it tends to give them strength and prolong life. Sold by Druggists generally at \$1 per bottle. R. HALL & CO., Proprietors, Wholesale Druggists, 143 and 145 Clay street, 616m Below Montgomery, San Francisco.

BRITISH COLONIST BOOK AND JOB PRINTING OFFICE. Reduction in the Prices—or—ALL KINDS OF JOB PRINTING. BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CIRCULARS, Cards, Bill-Heads, Blanks, Posters, etc. Executed with Neatness and Dispatch, and at GREATLY REDUCED RATES. fe14

Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam, a Great remedy for COLD and CONSUMPTION.—Port Lari mews, Shelby Co., O., June 18, 1859.—Messrs A. L. Scovill & Co.—Dear Sirs: I formerly lived in Elmore, Putnam county, Indiana, and while I was there I was attacked with a violent cough, which reduced me very low, and I tried several remedies, all to no purpose, and finally one of my neighbors came and told me about Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, being very highly recommended for such diseases, and by recommendations I was induced to try the remedy. I used only TWO BOTTLES, and it CURED ME. GEO. W. STOTZENBERGER. For sale by all Druggists, and by GEO. W. SNELL, Agent, (successor to Park & White,) 139 Washington street, San Francisco.

A New Book! FACTS AND FIGURES, RELATING TO Vancouver Island and British Columbia. BY—J. D. PEMBERTON, ESQ., Surveyor General of Vancouver Island JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE AT HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S, Stationers' Hall. fe5 2w

SAN JUAN LIME, ON HAND AND FOR SALE BY PEASE & BOYCE, Union Wharf. fe5 1m

FOR SALE, 100 ACRES SUPERIOR PRAIRIE Land, close to Mount Talmie; 200 acres of Timber and Prairie Land at Sojoke. Apply to W. J. McDONALD, Wharf street. fe5 1m

Important Land Sale OF DESIRABLE PROPERTY ON ESQUIMALT HARBOR. JOHN J. COCHRANE, AUCTIONEER, is instructed to sell on APRIL 2d, 1861, The Valuable Mercantile Property Section Number 3, on Esquimalt Harbor, extending back to the "Arm," with upwards of one-quarter of a mile of water frontage on each, with deep water close in shore, in a more sheltered position than Constant Cove, and in the heaviest gale so protected that vessels can lie alongside a wharf with safety. Part of the frontage is very well adapted for a Dry Dock, and also a Patent Slip. The Road from Victoria passes through the centre of the Property. The proposed Naval Depot and Barracks are in the immediate vicinity, and the proposed Canal uniting the two Harbors adjoins the Boundary. The value of this Property is much enhanced, from the fact of the Imperial Government selecting this portion of the Harbor for Government Works, which are to be immediately commenced. The Property has been divided into various sized Lots, to suit the nature and importance of the ground, and will be offered at the price of \$150 each.

TERMS OF SALE. 1st. Twenty-five per cent. of the purchase money to be paid upon the day of sale, and the balance thereon at any time within two years of the day of sale, with one per cent. interest thereon, payable quarterly. 2d. All taxes and assessments which shall be imposed upon it in respect of the lands sold, must be paid when due by the purchaser. 3d. Failing compliance with each and all of the above conditions, all previous partial payments will be forfeited, and the land will revert to the present holder. Plans to be seen at the Office of the Auctioneer, Government street. fe1

RELIABLE SEEDS. GARDEN SEEDS! FIELD SEEDS! FLOWER SEEDS! A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF THE above, all of the growth of last season, and from the most famous Nurseries of England and America, have just been received, and will be sold at reasonable rates by LANGLEY BROS., DRUGGISTS, Yates street, Victoria. Ja23

INTERNATIONAL Industrial Exhibition of 1862. A PUBLIC MEETING WILL BE HELD At the Court House at James' Bay, on TUESDAY, the 12th inst., at 2 P. M., to consider the expediency of representing the Colonies of Vancouver Island and British Columbia in the forthcoming Exhibition, and to devise means for best securing that object. His Excellency the Governor has consented to preside. fe5 6t

THE NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY, (ESTABLISHED 1836.) For Fire and Life Assurance AT HOME AND ABROAD. CAPITAL £1,250,700 STERLING. The undersigned have been appointed Agents Victoria. JANION & GREEN, au21 6m

HENRY HOLBROOK, Commission Merchant, NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C. WHARFAGE on all goods landed at his Wharf will be at the rate of 35 cents per ton, such being one-half the rate fixed by Government. BOND AND FREE STORAGE ready for 500 tons Goods. fe2

L. A. BLANC, Watchmaker and Jeweller, Government street, Victoria, V. I. ON HAND—A FINE ASSORTMENT of Watches, Clocks and Jewellery. Particular attention paid to the Manufacture of Watch Cases, Diamond and Quartz Work, and all other kinds of Jewellery made to order and repaired at shortest notice. n23 6m

Lighthouses. LANDS AND WORKS OFFICE, Victoria, V. I., Feb. 6th, 1861. THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF Lighthouses invite Tenders for Supplying Provisions, Coal, Water, etc., to the Race Rock and Fisgard Lighthouses. All particulars as to quantities to be obtained at the Lands and Works Office. Sealed Tenders received till the 19th inst., at 4 P. M. The Commissioners do not pledge themselves to accept the lowest offer. Tenders to be addressed to the Board of Commissioners of Lighthouses. By order. B. W. PEARSE, Acting Surveyor General.

Notice to Mariners. ADMIRALTY HEAD, WHIDBEY'S ISLAND, WASHINGTON TERRITORY. Information has been received at this Office from Lieutenant N. Michler, Corps of Topographical Engineers, of the completion of the Light-house at Admiralty Head, on Whidbey's Island, Washington Territory. The structure consists of a dwelling, with a tower rising through the roof at one end, both painted white; the tower is surmounted by an iron lantern, painted red. The illuminating apparatus is catadioptric of the fourth order of the system of Fresnel, and will show a fixed white light; the arc of the horizon to be illuminated is 270°. The following data are furnished: Height of tower from base to Focal Plane, 41 feet. Elevation of base of tower above mean level of sea, 78 feet. Elevation of Focal Plane above mean level of sea, 119 feet. Latitude, 40° 9' 21.6" North. Longitude, 122° 40' 8" West. Or, in Time, 8h. 10m. 40.5s. From Point Wilson it bears N. E. by E. (mag.) netic, distant 3 1/2 miles. From Marrowstone Point, N. by W. & W. (magnetic), distant 3 1/2 miles. From Point Partridge, S. E. by E. & E. (magnetic), distant 5 1/2 miles. From New Dungeness light, E. by N. & N. (magnetic), distant 11 1/2 miles. Admiralty Head commands the New Dungeness light, but is shut out from Smith's (Blunt's) Island light by Point Partridge. The magnetic variation was 21° 40' East, in August, 1856, with a yearly increase of 1' 4". This light will be exhibited, for the first time, on the night of the 25th January, 1861, and every night thereafter, from sunset to sunrise, until further notice. It should be visible in a favorable state of the atmosphere, from a height of fifteen feet above the water, at a distance of nineteen and a-half statute, or seventeen nautical miles. By order of the Light-house Board. WM. F. SMITH, Secretary. Treasury Department, Office Light-house Board. WASHINGTON, Dec. 27, 1859.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. LIGHT HOUSE ON RACE ISLAND, STRAIT OF FUCA, VANCOUVER ISLAND. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Victoria, 1st January, 1861. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a Light is to be exhibited from the Light House recently erected on the Great Race Rock. The Light is of the second order of Fresnel: And exhibits a bright flash every ten seconds; it is elevated 100 feet above the mean high water level, and may be seen in clear weather 18 miles. The structure consists of a keeper's dwelling of stone, with a tower of the same material. 185° 32' 15" N. Longitude. 123° 32' 15" W. The following directions, furnished by Capt. Richards, are herewith published for general information. By command of His Excellency the Governor. WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG, Acting Colonial Secretary.

CAUTION. As strong tides and races occur in the neighborhood of the Race Rocks, they should not be rounded nearer than from half a mile to a mile. A reef with 5 feet of water lies E. by E. from the Great Race, distant 3 or 4 cables. The Race Passage (between the Rocks) and Benticle Island) may be used by steamers acquainted with the locality, but sailing vessels are by no means recommended to use it unless with a commanding breeze. The ebb tide sets directly from the Haro and neighboring channels toward the Race Rocks, and vessels inward bound with the ebb, should give them a good berth before shaping a course for Esquimalt or Victoria Harbor. From a mile off the Race Rocks a course N. 1/2 W. leads to Esquimalt. While the Light on Fisgard Island, at the entrance of the Harbor, shows bright, a vessel is always in safety; it becomes dim or shaded, she will be too far to the Westward, and should immediately haul out; when it shows red, she will be getting very close to the coast between Esquimalt Harbor and Trial Island.

JUST RECEIVED, BY THE ARRIVAL OF THE SANTA CRUZ, The Largest and Finest Assortment of White SHIRTS, Ever Exhibited in this City; NO. 135, A NEW STYLE OF BOX PLAIT; NO. 248, BISHOP COLLARS. Byron Collars, Without Collars; NO. 267, Bishop Collars, Byron Collars, and without Collars; NO. 300, FANCY DRESS SHIRTS, Neat and Small Patterns; A NEW STYLE OF Byron and Garrote Collars Never before Exhibited in this City. Those who have been waiting for these Goods to arrive, would do well to call soon and examine.

N. POINTER, GOVERNMENT STREET, Second door South of the Post Office. TOYS FOR CHRISTMAS. JUST OPENED AND FOR SALE, a fine lot of German Tin Toys by F. M. BACKUS, Yates street. fe21 6m

MISCELLANEOUS. Town and District of Nanaimo TO WIT: NOTICE. REAL ESTATE ASSESSMENT. ALL PERSONS, OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE in this District, are requested to make a Statement in writing, according to the Form A hereto annexed, of what Real Estate they hold and where situated; to describe such Real Estate, giving the measurements thereof; to state what its actual market value is, and the value of the improvements thereon; and to deliver such statement at the Office of the Treasurer of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, on or before the Eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one—thirty days from the date of this advertisement. SCHEDULE A. Amount of Property, and where Situated. Ad-measure-ments. Market Value. Owner's Name. Place of Residence. By order of the Assessors. W. HALE FRANKLYN, J. P. A. D. MCINNES, ALFRED R. BENSON. Ja15

Valuable Property for Sale, —AT— FORT PEMBERTON, ON THE HARRISON-ILLOOET ROUTE, Known as the HALF-WAY HOUSE, Situated between Harrison and Lillooet Lakes, immediately on the Road, consisting of a Ranch of 320 Acres fine Farming Land. THERE ARE SITUATED ON THE property one large two-story House and kitchen, together with a Barn capable of storing 75 to 100 tons of hay, and accommodations for 75 animals; also Warehouse for storing goods. The grass is blue-top, and makes the best hay in the market. The Ranch is fenced in. There are a pair of good plough horses, 75 hogs, 100 chickens, besides sundry other stock. The place is offered for sale, with or without the stock, as the purchaser may desire, cheap for cash. Address, J. HUGHES & CO., On the premises. Or, EDGAR & ALME, Wharf street, Victoria. fe7 1m

L. D. LOWENBERG, REAL ESTATE AGENT. East side of Government st., bet. Yates & Johnson WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to negotiating loans, and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business. Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing Homesteads, or making investments, will find on my Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farming or Gardening Land in every District; some of which afford a rare chance for investment. Conveyances, leases, &c., drawn up at reasonable rates. Ja23-11

FOR SALE EX RECENT ARRIVALS. 50 CASES TENNANT'S PALE ALE (qrts). 80 cases Tennant's Strong Ale (qrts). 20 cases Jud & Copes' Burton Ale (qrts). 20 cases Byns' Pale Ale (pts). 10 cases Oregon Cider. 200 cases Old Tom. 20 cases Davenport's Wheat Whisky. 25 cases Duff Gordon's Pale Sherry. 25 cases Superior Brandy. 25 cases Rouse & Sons' Scotch Whisky. 25 cases Cherry Cordial. 15 cases assorted Syrups. 25 cases Old Bourbon Whisky. 6 puncheons Bernard's Old Tom. 5 do Stearns' Scotch Whisky. 5 do McKenzie's do do In lots to suit. J. J. SOUTHGATE & Co., Wharf street. Ja22 1m

Societe Francaise de Bienfaisance. LES SOCIETAIRES SONT PREVE- nus qu'une reunion preparatoire auralieu Lundi 4 Fevrier a 8 heures du soir, rue Johnson, en face du Tiger Engine Co., pour entendre toutes propositions et se preparer a la nomination d'un Nouveau Comite pour l'annee courante, et tous les societaires sont invites a etre presents, ainsi qu'a l'assemblee generale qui aura lieu Mardi 19 Fevrier, a la meme heure et dans le meme local. L'ar ordre du Comite. Le Secretaire par Interim. J. B. TIMMERMAN. Ja25 1m

Sewed Muslins. JUST RECEIVED BY EXPRESS, from Messrs. Gibson, Service & Co's manufactory, Glasgow, a very superior lot, comprising SETTS, COLLARS, FLOUNCING, INSERTIONS, and TRIMMINGS, made expressly for this season's trade. For sale by WM. MUIR, Langley St., off. ates. Ja22 1m

Flower Seeds JUST RECEIVED BY EXPRESS, direct from New York, a choice collection of— European and American Flower Seeds, For sale by CURTIS & MOORE, Druggists, Yates st. Ja12 2p

FRUIT TREES, 3000 APPLES OF THE MOST choice varieties, for sale cheap. Apply to J. A. C. POSTON, Wharf street. fe3 1m

J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Albert Wharf, VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND And Battery street, San Francisco, California. Ja11 14

FOR SALE. 400 SACKS LINN CLY & HILLS Extra FLOUR. 400 sacks Golden Gate Ex. Flour. J. J. SOUTHGATE & Co., Wharf street. Ja22 1m

Blacksmiths' Coals. 30 TONS BEST NEWCASTLE (ENG.) Coal, equal to Cumberland. For sale in lots to suit, at \$13 per ton. E. COOPER, Ja31 1m Victoria, V. I., Jan. 30, 1861.

VICTORIA BATHS, Government St., near Dr. Zeiler's Drug Store. HYPOLITE BANEL, BARBER AND Hair Dresser, has just opened these new baths and is ready to accommodate the public. Sulphuric, Vapor Baths, &c., &c. PERFUMERY of all descriptions, and all ornamental Hair Work made at the shortest notice and in the Parisian style. fe2 1m HYPOLITE BANEL, Proprietor.

UNDERTAKING. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order thereon, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. The Trade Supplied. R. LEWIS, Corner of Government and Broughton streets. fe3-14 Victoria.

Butter, Hams, STARCH, LARD, CHEESE, &c., &c. STARCH, etc, for sale by F. M. BACKUS, Yates street. Ja21

The Little Boy that Died.

The late Dr. Chalmers is said to have been the author of the following beautiful lines, written on the occasion of the death of a young son whom he greatly loved:

I am all alone in my chamber now,
And the midnight hour is near,
And the fagot's crack and the clock's dull tick,
Are the only sounds I hear;
And over my soul, in its solitude,
Sweet feelings of sadness glide;
For my heart and my eyes are full when I think
Of the little boy that died.

I went one night to my father's house,
Went home to the dear one's all,
And softly I opened the garden gate,
And softly the door of the hall,
My mother came out to meet her son—
She kissed me and then she sighed,
And her head fell on my neck, and she wept
For the little boy that died.

I shall miss him when the flowers come
In the garden where he played;
I shall miss him more by the fireside
When the flowers are all decayed;
I shall see his toys and his empty chair,
And the horse he used to ride,
And they will speak with a silent speech
Of the little boy that died.

We shall go home to our Father's house—
To our Father's house in the sky,
Where the hope of souls shall have no blight,
Our love unbroken ties;
We shall roam on the banks of the river of peace
And bathe in its blissful tide;
And one of the joys of life shall be
The little boy that died.

The Baron de Rothschild was negotiating for the purchase from the Count de Chambord of the forest of Vassy, the last portion of the property held by that prince in France, with the exception of Chambord. And thus the son of St. Louis parts with the few fragments yet left him of that broad domain over which his ancestors reigned so long and so splendidly. He rescued it from Chambord, parts with it to a parvenue; instead of granting it as a fief to be held by his vassals, he sells it for money to a Jew, and sells it to provide for his necessities.

Dr. Casimer Dumas, in an article upon ladies' dress, remarks: "It was Catherine de Medicis who first introduced into France the use of the corset; thus inaugurating, against her sex, a St. Bartholomew a hundred fold more murderous than that which cost Coligny his life."

MISCELLANEOUS.

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THE WELL KNOWN HOUSE OF "CHEAP JOHN," EVERYBODY'S FRIEND, has opened in Yates street, near corner of Wharf, and next door to McDonald, the Banker. It will be well for everybody to call and see us. Our old customers we know will continue to patronize us, for they know that our Goods are the best and cheapest in the market.

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Our Mr. Patten has been a bookkeeper of the house for the past two years, and Mr. Foster has been connected with the ocean steamers of this coast for the past eight years as purser, and cheerfully offers his services to families and others in procuring steamer passage, in advance of their arrival.

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A Cure for Piles and Fistulas.

Inflammation of sensitive parts, piles, fistulas, and such like painful diseases may be presently relieved, and ultimately cured, by the proper and diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, whose action should, in such cases, be assisted by judicious doses of Pills. For many days have elapsed the anxious patient will experience a wonderful degree of ease from this treatment. They are equally suitable to both sexes, and all ages.

Coughs, Colds, and Asthma.

These complaints of the chest come on with alarming frequency. The Ointment should be used at least twice a day on the chest and between the shoulders, when the violence of all symptoms will gradually give way, the breathing become longer, and the oppression less. No medicine is more efficient in chest complaints, no medicine can be used with equal safety and certainty. Both Pills and Ointment are accompanied by very clear and simple directions for using them.

A Man who refused to have his Leg off.

"From the Kilrush Advertiser, June 2nd, 1860."

Deceased, Esquire, Magistrate, said in the Board Room at Kilrush, that he knew a man who had been in the Infirmary and was actually turned out as incurable, on his way home to Kilrush, he purchased at Ennis, Holloway's Pills and Ointment, for, as he said, it could not be worse with him. This man, said Mr. C. C. C., became by their use as sound and as healthy as any man in the room. These celebrated Pills and Ointment will cure any wound, sore, or ulcer, however long standing, if properly used according to the printed directions.

Gout and Rheumatism.

The essence of these diseases lies in the blood, which has, floating through its veins, the pain-giving poison, which irritates and inflames every tissue it comes in contact with, and produces the hot, swollen, elastic enlargement of the joints so characteristic of gouty diseases. The philosophy of cure consists in overcoming this deposit by the use of the Pills. The Ointment, when rubbed upon the skin, penetrates the system through the pores, acts in unison with the Pills, and soon effects a cure.

Drops, Swollen Legs or Ankles.

The various kinds of drops, whether windy or watery, arise from some obstruction to the free circulation through the blood vessels, or lymphatics, or depend on the inflamed state of some secreting surface. Holloway's remedies, of which the efficacy cannot be exaggerated, act directly upon the blood, the absorbents and secretions, with a power that no drops, however inveterate, can long resist. They regulate the proper flow of blood to every organ, and purify it; they filter out everything that is morbid or injurious; they thoroughly regenerate every function, yet potent as they are for good, they are powerless for evil. They do not contain mercury or any noxious substances. They act safely and certainly.

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Bite of Fies	Cancers	Lumbar	Scrofulic
Cold Feet	Contracted and	Piles	Scrofulic
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Ladies should call soon and examine those

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Rheumatism should call and examine those pure

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I have Drawers that will fit gentlemen standing from
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Throat, Chest and Lung Complaint, as well as Con-
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This household remedy should be in the hands of
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of the frequent upset, disordered state of the Stomach,
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Dyspepsia, Fever and Ague, In-
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Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Acidity, Flatulency,
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10 " Martell Cognac;
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25 bbls Bourbon Whiskey
50 bbls Alcohol
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15 bbls Alsopp & Son's Burton Ale;
50 bbls Oregon Claret;
150 cases Swain and Boord's Old Tom'
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150 cases Claret Wine
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